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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE Transmittal Letter to the United States Attornev's Docket Number B/O Form PTO-1390 Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) RIED3010/FJD Concerning a Filing Under 35 USC 371 U.S. Application Number (External 247 International Application Number International Filing Date Priority Date Claimed 20/Nov/03 04/Nov/04 PCT/EP2004/012479 Title of Invention Vibration-type measurement pickup Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US Alfred Rieder and Wolfgang Drahm Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items under 35 USC 371: 1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371. 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)) at any time rather than delay 3. × examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 USC 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). × The U.S. has been elected (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed 35 USC 371(c)(2). 5. Ø is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). П a. Ø has been transmitted by the International Bureau. b. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). C. A translation of the International Application into English (35 USC 371(c)(2)). X 6. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)) 7. Ø are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). a. have been transmitted by the International Bureau. b. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. c. have not been made and will not be made. d. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)). 8. 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 USC 371(c)(4)). (\Box Executed A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 10. (35 USC 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 16 below concern other document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 11. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is 12. included. 13. X A preliminary amendment. 14. × An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. A substitute specification. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 16. Priority is claimed for German application no. 103 54 373.2 with a filing date of 20 Nov. 2003 17. × A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 18. A second copy of the English translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4) 19. a copy of the International Application WO 2005/050144 A1

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